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PATENT

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In re Application of

: Customer Number: 20277

Kunio TAKEUCHI, et al.

: Confirmation Number: 1117

Application No.: 10/811,137

: Group Art Unit: 2828

Filed: March 29, 2004

: Examiner: Dung T. Nguyen

For: SEMICONDUCTOR LASER DEVICE AND METHOD OF FABRICATING THE SAME

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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No additional fee is required.

Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

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	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	26	27	0	\$50.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	5	5	0	\$200.00 =	\$0.00
Multiple dependent claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$0.00
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Total of Above Calculations					\$0.00

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The following Remarks and Amendment are submitted in response to the Office Action dated January 5, 2007.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.